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## Residents protest tower

By Brenda Bunting  
Editor

Two Belle Glade residents spoke out at the Sept. 22 commission meeting against the erection of a 450 foot guyed communications tower on Whitaker Road.

James Shine, Jr. who lives at 1417 Wedgworth Road, protested the erection of a tower on land owned by Alma Steele at 1100 Whitaker Road.

"I am adamantly opposed to the construction of an additional radio tower," said Mr. Shine in a July 31 letter to the commission.

The commission voted Sept. 22 to rezone land on Whitaker Road from R-2, multi-family residential to agricultural, setting up the possibility of erecting a tower.

Mr. Shine noted there is already a cellular tower located on the property. "Another tower will not improve the beauty or safety of the community," he said in a letter to the commission dated Sept. 18.

He told commissioners he was worried about lightning strikes, which he said already happen at the existing tower on the property. He also asked why the tower couldn't be placed on the University of Florida property.

Rev. J.R. Hairston, III, of 566

S.W. Second Street, questioned why the city was allowing that location when he said state-owned land away from homes would be more appropriate.

Commissioners voted to accept the recommendation of the Planning and Zoning Committee to change the land use, but the Special Use request to erect the communications tower did not pass for the lack of a second.

OPM - USA Inc of Sarasota was hoping to install the tower. Bud Young, land acquisition agent, said the tower would enhance public safety by combining six law enforcement agencies communications systems and provide mobile state law enforcement communications coverage throughout the area. Primary member users would have been the Florida Highway Patrol, Florida Marine Patrol, Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco, Florida Department of Law Enforcement, the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission and locally, Glades Correctional Institution.

The matter could come up again a future commission meeting, but Young told commissioners time was of the essence in getting started on the project.



WENDYS IS OPEN...Community leaders and businesses were invited to a sneak preview luncheon of the new Wendys on South Main Street, Belle Glade on Monday. Wendys opened to the public on Oct. 1 and business was brisk.

## Man dies when his semi plunges into canal

By Brenda Bunting  
Editor

A 55-year-old Mascott, Florida man died last Thursday evening when the semi-tractor trailer he was driving plunged into the Hillsborough Canal almost 15 miles south of South Bay.

Florida Highway Patrol Trooper C. Fletcher said James

Marlin Gunn was traveling northbound on U.S. 27 after 4 p.m. when he veered off the road to the east shoulder.

The semi, a 1988 International,

broke through the guardrail and went into the canal. It took several hours for troopers to remove the semi from the canal and Gunn's body from the cab.

## Kitchen fires damage two Belle Glade homes

Fires that started in the kitchen damaged two Belle Glade homes last weekend.

A fire broke out at approximately 4:30 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 25 at a home located at 148 S.E. 6th Street North. Residents Charles Nelson, 79, Shana Benjamin, 27 and two children were home at the time. No one was injured in the blaze.

Belle Glade Fire Rescue responded to a kitchen fire at 6 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 27 at the home of Jean Therriault of 401 S.W. 3rd Street. The home was occupied by two adults and two children. No one was injured in the fire.

The Glades Branch of the American Red Cross responded and provided food and shelter to both families.

## School board officials say test answers were changed at Canal Point Ele. school

By Brenda Bunting  
Editor

Red flags went up recently when Palm Beach County School Board officials saw the dramatic improvement in test scores at K.E. Cunningham/Canal Point Elementary School. Now officials

are saying someone erased wrong answers for more than 40 out of the 87 fourth-grade students.

Palm Beach County Schools Superintendent Joan Kowal said Monday the district is investigating whether a teacher

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## Soup kitchen to open in Pahokee

The Men's Ministry of Pahokee Church of the Nazarene will offer free soup and dessert to interested people every Saturday from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the church annex.

Pahokee Church of the Nazarene is located at 480 Bacom Point Road. For additional information call 924-587.

## Health care group to meet today

The Glades Management Board will hold a meeting at 6 p.m. tonight, Oct. 2, at city hall in Pahokee. City hall is located at 171 North Lake Avenue, Pahokee.

The purpose of the meeting is to develop a coordinated health care system in the Glades.

## Pageant postponed

The Miss Teen of Pahokee (formerly Miss Grassy Waters) pageant, originally scheduled for November 15, has been postponed due to circumstances beyond the control of organizers.

A tentative date has been set for February. Entrants will be contacted and asked to re-apply. Any questions may be directed to Diane Walker at 4-8093.

## Annual PBCC Golf Tournament set

The 11th Annual Palm Beach Community College, Glades Campus Golf Tournament is scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 25 at the Belle Glade Municipal Golf Course.

Registration is at 8 a.m. and tee-off is at 9 a.m. Proceeds are used for scholarships for local students to attend PBCC. Call 996-6605 to register.

## Revival set for Alliance Church

Members of the Alliance Church of Belle Glade will be having revival services on Oct. 5-8. Services will be at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 5 and every evening at 7 p.m. Monday through Wednesday, Oct. 6-8.

Rev. Terry Smith will be the guest speaker. Everyone is invited to attend. The church is located at 425 E. Canal Street North, Belle Glade.

Anyone needing additional information can call 996-9914.

## Pahokee First United Church to host festival

Members of Pahokee First United Methodist Church will be having a Mission Festival on Oct. 11 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the church, located at 491 E. East Main Street, Pahokee. There will be activities for all ages including arts and crafts, food, games and a bake sale.

## Large turnout expected for 1997 Glades Heart Walk

Belle Glade - Over 300 walkers are expected to attend the Glades American Heart Walk on Oct. 18 at the Belle Glade Marina beginning at 7:30 a.m.

Chairman Cherree Bowens has been busy preparing the route and securing refreshments for the big day. Assisting Mr. Bowens are last year's walk chairperson Lee Sutterfield, Mark Sutterfield and Barney Weeks.

This year's sponsors include Royal Inc., the Palm Beach County Health Care District, Belle Glade, Osceola Farms Company, Bank of Belle Glade, and Lake Hardware. Mr. Bowens said sponsorship



Heart Walk Chairman Cherree Bowens

opportunities are still available.

Walkers who raise more than \$100 will receive a special T-shirt featuring the American Heart Association's logo.

Walkers are encouraged to compete for prizes.

This year, WRMF Radio station is donating a Yellow Copter ride for the top fund raising individual at the Belle Glade walk, as well as the top fund raising team captain.

Heart disease is still the number one killer in Florida and in the nation. Over 42% of deaths in the nation this year will be from heart disease.

For more information about the Glades Heart Walk or how to get a company or community team involved, please call Stacey deLusa, division director at 1-800-AHA-USA! or 561-655-8155.



A BIG CLASS...The 1997-98 Leadership Glades held an orientation meeting recently at the Sugar Cane Growers Cooperative. Shown, not in order are class members, Angel Armas, Alberto Arrieta, Gwendolyn Asia-Williams, Juan Baez, Barbara Bell-Speice, Steve Bunn, Gene Fale, Cornelius Foster, Jorge Gutierrez, Julia Hale, Johnny Telleches, Andrea Tomasak, Ashley Tripp, Darryl Tripp, Anne Turner, Matt Weeks, and Mary Ross Wilkerson.

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# Glades Day Gator Tales

Glades Day School's National Honor Society is sponsoring a "Shoot-Out" to raise money for the American Heart Association. But relax, the Shoot-Out competitors will be using water guns, not the real thing. It will consist of teachers vs. students, teachers vs. teachers, and/or husband and wife (teacher) teams.

Each contestant has a jar in the high school office for donations. Those who collect the most money will be selected for the competition. All money donated will go to the American Heart Association.

Our "Shoot-Off" basketball competition was so popular last year that we wanted to follow up on it," said sponsor Mrs. Sharon Baumgartner. "With the gym being remodeled we can't get in there right now so the NHS officers and executive committee came up with an alternative plan. Hopefully, this will get everyone involved for a good cause."

Mrs. Baumgartner added that the NHS and NHS students are still planning to walk in the Heart Association's Walk planned for later this month. The students raised over \$5,500 in last year's walk and are hoping to beat that amount this year.

Elementary students are learning about saving through the Bank of Belle Glade's youth savings plan that has been implemented at Glades Day School. It actually began last year, but the plan was so successful that both Glades Day and the Bank of Belle Glade agreed to continue

with it this school term. Representatives from the bank came to the elementary library at approximately 7:15 each Thursday morning to open savings accounts or take deposits from the students. The idea is to teach kids about the benefits of saving money.

Students are allowed to make deposits each week, but are not allowed to withdraw money unless they go to the Bank of Belle Glade along with a parent.

The elementary Booster Club would like to remind everyone about the BBQ Chicken dinner that will be held in Tripp Hall beginning at 4:30 p.m. this Friday, October 3, before the varsity football game against Frostproof. Tickets are \$6 and will include chicken with all the trimmings plus beverage.

Those of you wanting to show your Gator spirit should see a member of the Senior Class for the green and white Gator pins they are selling for \$2.50 each. The pins can be seen at all the volleyball and football games. Don't be left out - get yours now!

Looking ahead, we want to remind parents that Monday, Oct. 3 will be a school holiday for students and faculty in honor of Columbus Day. Students will also be out Monday, October 27 for a Teacher's Planning Day, so line up your babysitters early!



## Pahokee Main Street

The sidewalk at Larrimore Road and East Main Place was edged and cleaned by Main Street Volunteers Julian Branch, Wayne Jarriel, and C.R. Martin on Saturday morning. This committee has established a schedule of dates and locations where they will be working in the future. To get involved, call the Pahokee Main Street office at 924-6332. "We appreciate these dedicated residents who want our community to look its best. If you

care about Pahokee and have some time and energy to give, join us!" says Coordinator Shirley Jarriel.

Next week Pahokee Main Street will be welcoming another Florida Main Street Resource Team to our community. They will be speaking to merchants and committees offering their expertise as a benefit of the program which is sponsored by the Florida Department of State.

## Small Acts of Kindness

On Thursday September 18, 1997, "Facets of Uniqueness", the pledges of Mu Rho Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority, visited Everglades Regional Memorial Hospital in Pahokee.

The purpose of the visit was the beginning of many community service projects planned by the organization. While at the hospital, these

young ladies gave cards and shared words of encouragement with several patients. They also made puppets and read books with a pediatric patient.

The patients and staff were very receptive of the group. Future plans are already in the making for a return visit, as well as a visit to Glades General Hospital in Belle Glade.

## Board gives approval to '98 budget and millage rate

After months of preparation and acceptance by the governor's office, the governing board of the South Florida Water Management District gave its final approval to the Fiscal Year 1998 budget and millage rate on Sept. 23. The budget totals \$433,432,314 - a 9.1 percent decrease from '97. This is the result of a reduction in federal and state revenues associated with the district's land acquisition program. And for the fourth consecutive year, the budget contains no additional full-time permanent positions.

According to John Neuharth, with the Office of Government and Public Affairs for the district, this reflects the continuing efforts of the district to contract for services that can be effectively provided from outside the agency.

The new budget also calls for a 1/40th of a mill tax increase from those home owners in the Okeechobee Basin, the larger of two basins within the District's 16-county area. The '98 millage rate of .697 mills is a 3.7 percent increase over last year's millage rate of .672. It will mean that a homeowner, residing in the Okeechobee Basin, will pay an additional \$2.50 in ad valorem taxes on a home with a taxable value of \$100,000. A separate tax is levied for the Big Cypress Basin which includes all of Collier and part of Monroe counties. Property owners there will pay a millage rate of .562 mills as approved by the Big Cypress Basin governing board.

The additional money raised by the 1/40th mill increase (\$6.6 million) will fund \$4,775,000 in environmental restoration projects critical to south Florida. (These projects are not part of the Everglades Construction Project which will clean stormwater runoff from the farm fields south of Lake Okeechobee) as well as provide \$1,854,400 in local water resource development projects as required by the state legislature.

Of the total '98 budget, 49.2 percent (\$213.4 million) is supported by general ad valorem tax revenue with the remaining 50.8 percent (\$220 million) supported by non-ad valorem/dedicated sources.

The final budget is the result of months of staff preparation, a series of 11 public forums, monthly meetings for the past year by an eight-member Budget Review Commission, public workshops and a final review earlier this month the Executive Office of the governor (EOG).

In a Sept. 12 letter to the District Governing Board, Chairman Frank "Sonny" Williamson. The EOG said, "The South Florida Water Management District has some of the most daunting tasks, facing any public agency in the nation. Given the complexity of the district's budget and the number of issues it addresses, we feel the governing board and staff have proposed a reasonable and thoughtful budget."

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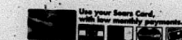
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# HEALTH WATCH

## October is National Breast Cancer Awareness Month

By Paula Swaford, R.N.

October is not only the month for harvest and Halloween, it's also National Breast Cancer Awareness Month. The month of pink ribbons. I personally don't get to watch a lot of daytime TV, but Montel Williams had a show a couple of weeks ago regarding breast cancer and he said something that caught my attention.

He admonished the husbands and boyfriends in his audience to help their wives and girlfriends to remember to do breast self-exams. As a matter of fact, he challenged them to make it THEIR responsibility, if they wanted to keep their

loved ones around as long as possible. We women know we should do this every month, ideally just after our monthly menstrual period, but so many of us put it off and find every excuse in the book not to do it. However, if we stop and take four to five minutes to do the exam, it may just save our lives.

Even though women are generally singled out regarding breast cancer, men are also victims. Breast cancer is more common in men who have a family history of the disease, have a history of breast problems, such as enlarged breasts or cysts, have undescribed



Paula Swaford, R.N.

testes, surgically removed testes or a history of testicular injury—all of which may disturb hormone levels. Also men who are overweight, infertile or underwent late puberty, or

those who have had frequent chest x-rays may be susceptible.

Unfortunately, the conflict still exists in the medical community as to what age a woman should begin having mammograms and how frequently. Earlier this week, the American Cancer Society urged women in their 40s to have mammograms annually instead of every year or two, as it had previously suggested. They project that, over 180,000 women will be diagnosed with breast cancer this year alone. They advise women who are genetically susceptible to breast cancer (i.e. those with

breast cancer in their families) to get annual mammograms between the ages of 25 and 35.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention recently reported that 101 of every 100,000 women (both black and white) were diagnosed with breast cancer in 1992. The disturbing statistic is that 50% more black women will die from it than white women for lack of education and information. Most of us have known someone personally who has cancer. Take the time to talk to those you love and encourage them to have regular check-ups and mammograms.

It has been said that women

physicians tend to spend more time and do more extensive breast exams than do male examiners. But the bottom line, ladies, is this: We MUST take time to examine ourselves on a routine basis, every month, without fail. Learn what your breasts feel like normally so you will be able to notice when something is different, or if a lump is present. Enlist the support and aid of your partner, too. If it takes writing yourself a note on the mirror in the bathroom or bedroom to remind you to examine yourself, then do it. No one else is responsible for your own health but you. Until next time...stay informed and stay healthy.

## Raising healthier babies by the year 2000

By Ellen Steinberg, RN, BSN, IBCLC, Glades General Hospital

What if I told you that I had a product that could help you raise a healthier baby, one with a higher I.Q., better speech development, less dental cavities, significantly lower incidence of middle ear infections, life-threatening diarrhea, allergies and gastrointestinal problems. Would you be interested, and want to hear more? Of course you would! If I added that this product was totally free and any mother could easily learn the magic recipe, don't you think I would have a line forming around the block? Most definitely! Now if I told you that all you had to do was breastfeed your child, why am I losing your attention?

The facts are very simple, the United States is one of the most

industrialized countries in the world, with one of the lowest breastfeeding rates. The World Health Organization reports that while our European neighbors have breastfeeding rates as high as 90% in Scandinavia, Switzerland, Austria, Bulgaria, Germany and Hungary, the United States lags far behind with only 52% of hospital-born infants receiving any breast milk.

Why such a disparity? The answer is very clear. Formula manufacturers have a vested interest in promoting their products and generating revenue. What's at stake? Millions of dollars in earnings, that are generated from the sale of formula products. Our newspapers, magazines and television commercials are inundated with commercials, promoting formula that, while nutritional, is clear-

ly inferior to the product it is trying to duplicate: breastmilk!

That's why World Breastfeeding Week is being celebrated this year from September 28 to October 4.

World Breastfeeding Week gives us a forum to discuss breastfeeding, learn its benefits and encourage our young mothers and mothers-to-be, to learn all they can about breastfeeding, in hopes of making a difference.

Have I stimulated your interest? I hope so. Talk to your friends and relatives, read a book about breastfeeding, ask questions of your obstetrician, call the WIC office or the local Le Leche League group or contact the Perinatal Unit at Glades General Hospital, to find out more. You too can have healthier babies by the year 2000.

## Mosquito warnings continue

The Health Department is continuing to warn county residents to take precautions against mosquitoes. Environmental conditions and a weekly tripling of mosquito populations in the western areas of Palm Beach County cause particular concern. The Health Department advises all residents in Palm Beach County to take extra precaution, particularly those living in our communities west of 441 and Beeline Highway out to Lake Okeechobee.

September 26, the Health Department received notification of two confirmed positive tests in sentinel chickens for the St. Louis Encephalitis virus

and four additional presumptive positive tests in the sentinel chicken flocks in Palm Beach County. This brings us to a yearly total of eight confirmed positive sentinel chickens. Of those eight confirmed positive chickens, six are located in Canal Point, one in western Lake Worth and one in Belle Glade. Of the four newly presumptive positive sentinel chickens reported this week, two were located in Royal Palm Beach Acreage, one in Lake Park and one in Belle Glade.

There are NO CONFIRMED HUMAN CASES in Palm Beach County.

The Health Department continues to strongly warn ALL

residents participating in outside activities from dusk to dawn. Individuals who do continue to spend time out of doors during these hours should wear protective clothing (long sleeve shirts and pants), insect repellent containing the product DEET and to secure all screens.

Palm Beach County Mosquito Control is continuing aerial spraying and monitoring of the mosquito population in the county.



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## Why blame the police department?

"Yes, I read this article in your Speak Out section about the unsolved murder in Belle Glade. It talks about (I guess the family called it in) concern about their daughter, friend or relative.

Just reading the article, I see the family was very concerned because the lady was a mother, daughter, sister, aunt and more importantly, a human being. But according to what I read, the lady probably led a life of drug abuse, maybe prostitution. So the real problem was not how the city handled it, the problem was with the family trying to get their daughter off drugs.

Drugs are the problem in our community. If there wasn't a drug problem, the police would have no problem locating those who were murdered because it wouldn't happen.

So, if the family really wanted something to argue about, they really need to check themselves and their family because that's where the problem starts. It doesn't start at the police department. I know there is corruption, don't get me wrong, but the problem here lies in facing the fact that this lady probably had a problem and it was not handled so the family is venting their frustration on the police department and that's very low.

Thank you."

## Backhanded compliments

"I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Pahokee City Commissioner, and especially the city manager for their achievements in the last year.

If the community has not noticed, the City of Pahokee has several new things. First, there is a brand new street sweeper that I never see out. How about the casket lift for Port Mayaca? The fleet of new Ford trucks, Chevy van, and Chevy trucks that the water and maintenance department drive? How about the city manager's new car?

I am glad the city is being run so well. I mean, the police and fire department do not need any new cars or equipment. Have you seen the police cars? They're smoking, dying in the roadway. Talk about old. I wonder how much money it costs to repair those old cars?

Of course, it is more important for the water and maintenance department to have those new vehicles. When you are being robbed or shot at, just call them.

As for the fire department, just look at the fire engines sitting at the fire department. One is so old it is not red any more but maroon, and rusted. I hope the city commissioners and the city manager sleep well at night and hope their house does not get broken into or catch fire.

Well, if it does I am sure they will call???

I truly hope this letter will open the community's eyes to the serious equipment shortage that is occurring right now with the emergency services, the police and fire department in the

City of Pahokee.

A very concerned citizen."

**Pahokee City Manager Ken Schenck responds:** "I'm glad the concerned citizen is interested in our vehicle problem. So are we and we've taken steps to correct the situation. The fire department does need new trucks, but at \$20,000 plus, we haven't been able to purchase one until the last one was paid for. If we join with the county we'll solve this problem without an increase in the city's expenses. The police department has had four new vehicles in the last four years and we have four new vehicles on order. Most of the vehicles replaced in the other departments were over 10 years old and expensive to maintain. The vehicle I have is new to me but it's three years old. If you would like to discuss the situation I'd be more than happy to meet with you or anyone else."

## It could get dangerous

"I'm a resident of 715 Mobile Home Park. I'm wondering about the area on Friday night before and after the game. There were no police directing traffic. The traffic light stopped working at the usual time as it does on school days. Traffic was backed up to Pioneer Park on 715 and down to Okeechobee Center exit on Highway 80.

I'm wondering, why can't the traffic light stay working on the night of the games since there's no one to direct traffic out there? We'll soon be seeing a lot of accidents or deaths at this rate.

Thank you. A concerned citizen."

**Chief Michael Miller responds:** "I appreciate the concerns of the residents of 715 Mobile Home Park with reference to traffic flow and traffic safety at the entrance to Glades Central Community High School, however, once again I must set the record straight.

(1) The Palm Beach County School Board staff, who oversees construction, refused to follow specific guidelines recommended by the City of Belle Glade as to traffic safety and traffic flow. Had these recommendations been followed, the residents of 715 Mobile Home Park would not be experiencing these problems. I now understand there are plans to follow our original recommendations and provide an entrance to Glades Central Community High School off S.R. 80 in front of Okeechobee Center. This access will allow for safe vehicular and pedestrian traffic.

(2) Officers of the Belle Glade Police Department were assigned to direct traffic on S.R. 715 at the entrance to Glades Central Community High School and Pioneer Park.

(3) The fact that approximately 6,000 people attended this exciting athletic event did in fact impact traffic congestion before and after the game.

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WHAT??? Canoeing at Lake Shore Pool? That's what was captured on film in this old Belle Glade Herald photo taken in 1972.

# Your freedom to choose is at stake

(Editor's note: On Monday, October 6, the U.S. Supreme Court will hear an appeal of a lower court decision that limits membership in federal credit unions. This case could very well decide the fate and future direction of thousands of credit unions across the country, including credit unions in Florida. Guy M. Hood, President of the Florida Credit Union League, discusses some of the issues surrounding this consumer issue.)

By Guy M. Hood,  
President/CEO

## Florida Credit Union League

Consumers will be holding their collective breath October 6 when the nation's highest court convenes to hear the case that will decide whether most Americans will still have the right to join and belong to a credit union. Your right to choose whom you will do business with is at stake.

Unless the Supreme Court rules with the credit union movement, nearly two-thirds of working Americans will lose the right to join and belong to a credit union.

This would be devastating to consumers because they would be left with no other alternative except banks. And, at least in Florida, that means more than likely your deposits would come under the control of a bank whose headquarters is located in another state.

The Miami Herald recently estimated that over 81 percent of the deposits in this state are controlled by financial institutions that reside in either Georgia, North Carolina or Alabama. Without a credit union option consumers would not even be able to ensure that their money

stays in the state, let alone their community.

Credit unions remain the last best hope for consumers. Recent studies have shown that fee happy banks are starting to gouge consumers at rates approaching ridiculous. Some banks now charge you for making deposits and withdrawals with lobby deposit slips. Still other banks charge two and three fees for using automated teller machines. And one bank even charges you a fee if you ask too many times how much money is in your account!

Bankers argue that credit unions have expanded beyond their original purpose. Credit unions, they state, should serve a limited audience and not be allowed to grow. With the demise of the nation's savings and loan industry, who else but credit unions can offer competitive rates and services?

Consumers have fewer banking choices than they had just a few short years ago. The recent merger between Barnett Banks and Nations Bank removes one more alternative to Florida consumers. In some communities there will no longer be any other alternative with the disappearance of Barnett, except for credit unions.

Not-for-profit credit unions are owned and operated by their members. That means they will always be controlled by local people looking out for the local community. Can you honestly believe that a North Carolina bank will make decisions that are in the best interest of you, community?

Credit unions need your help to continue serving you. Write your congressman and ask him or her to support H.R. 1151. This bill is the Credit Union membership Access Act. It guarantees that every American will have an opportunity to join a credit union.

Without it, and a favorable ruling from the Supreme Court, you may have to depend on an out-of-state banker for your next loan. Remember, your freedom to choose is at stake.

# Sharing the hurricane risk

By Bill Nelson

## Florida Treasurer and Insurance Commissioner

Last month, the residents of South Florida marked the fifth anniversary of Hurricane Andrew. No one there will ever forget that deadly storm's rampage during the early morning darkness five years ago, for Andrew was nature's cruellest and most costly storm.

In just a few hours, it unleashed energy equal to that of hundreds of hydrogen bombs.

Beyond the tragic loss of 15 lives, the storm caused more economic damage than all of the previous major storms combined: \$25 billion and still climbing. Insured losses exceeded \$16 billion.

Andrew vastly altered our view of natural disasters and their ability to cause indiscriminate destruction. And it caused us to wonder: What if Andrew had shifted just one degree to the north, slamming into downtown Miami or Fort Lauderdale? It would have left insured losses of not \$16 billion, but \$2 billion dollars.

The reserves of all the insurers would have carried the day; thousands of homeowner claims would have gone unpaid; banks would have been stuck with abandoned mortgages and would have stopped making new loans; the state's home building industry would have come to a screeching halt; property values would have plummeted.

In a worst-case scenario, a high-intensity natural disaster striking any area of dense development can inflict more damage than any one state can bear - even a state with Florida's financial resources.

That's why I recently unveiled a plan to create a state hurricane facility that will streamline all of the resources available to respond to a major hurricane, strip unnecessary profits, taxes and expenses from the system, and cut policyholders' rates throughout the state.

My plan would require insurance companies to cover all risks - including hurricanes up to a to-be-determined level of residential losses - throughout Florida, and give adequate discounts to homeowners who install hurricane shutters and other protective devices.

It also would roll back homeowners rates statewide, based on savings achieved by eliminating industry profiteering from catastrophic wind premiums, while accumulating part of these premiums tax-free in the new, non-profit, state-run authority.

I envision such a plan working in harmony with a national safety net for the once-in-a-lifetime storms.

As I've indicated many times, I strongly support the concept of a national catastrophe fund that will spread the risk of mega-disasters across the country and help reduce the cost of homeowners insurance.

With earthquakes in California, floods in the Midwest and hurricanes along the Gulf coast states, no one is immune from natural disaster. And no one state can bear the risk of a mega-catastrophe.

Natural disasters always end up a national problem. So, why not have a national policy? Why not minimize the taxpayers' burden of disaster relief? If we don't, we will never reduce the reliance on the federal government in times of disaster.

There's an old saying: While the house is burning, it's no time to debate who lit the fire. With losses piling up across the country each year from hurricanes, floods and earthquakes, Congress needs to act on a comprehensive, national program to help homeowners living in high-risk and disaster-prone areas.

Two pieces of legislation that would create a national disaster program currently are pending before Congress. One measure (H.R. 219) is sponsored by U.S. Rep. Rick Lazio of New York; the other (H.R. 230) is one of Florida's congressmen, U.S. Rep. Bill McCollum. Both bills would provide federal reinsurance, financed by industry premiums to help cover catastrophic losses. The two bills differ in details and scope, but the best features of each can and should emerge from the lawmaking process.

If you believe, as I do, that the people of Florida aren't the only ones facing the threat of a mega-catastrophe, I hope you will write your local congressman in support of a federal plan.

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### Christian Singles meeting

The First Baptist Church of Clewiston is starting an inter-denominational singles ministry for adults (20's, 30's and 40's) in the Lake Okechobee area.

An organizational meeting is planned for Saturday, Oct. 4 at 7 p.m. in the back room at Sonny's BBQ in Clewiston. Dinner is Dutch treat.

Plans include social activities, such as dinner discussions, concerts and fellowship with single groups outside the lake area. Other ideas will be welcome.

### Hospice planning fish fry for October 4

Hospice, Golden Glades is sponsoring a Glades fish fry on Saturday, Oct. 4 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Belle Glade Marina.

Tickets are \$6 a plate and include catfish filets, hush puppies, cole slaw and baked beans. Take out is also available and ticket purchasers are eligible for door prizes.

For tickets or additional information call Nateahach Nachman at 996-5303 or Hospice of Palm Beach County at 1-800-287-4722 extension 5145.

### Dancing under the stars

The Belle Glade Police Department Benevolent Association will hold its annual fund-raiser dance on Saturday, Nov. 8. The dance this year will be at the Belle Glade Marina Pavilion beginning at 9 p.m. and continuing until 2 a.m.

Dress for the dance will be casual.

Tickets can be purchased from any member of the Belle Glade Police Department or by calling 996-7254, extension 24. Donations are \$10 per ticket and can be reserved now. Entertainment will be provided by disc jockey Jeff Fraley from West Palm Beach. He will

be playing music from the 50's, 60's, 70's, 80's and 90's with the best in country thrown in for good measure.

### Plans gearing up for Grassy Waters Festival

Committee members are making plans for the Grassy Waters Festival & Car Show to be held Saturday, Nov. 22.

The committee meets the third Monday of each month at the Pahokee Chamber of Commerce to plan for the event. Co-chairs Shirley Ingram and Ken Schenck invite those who wish to support the festival to join the group at 7 p.m.

Theme for this year's festival is "Pahokee's Pioneering Success." The festival will also celebrate Pahokee's 75th Birthday. This festival will also feature the first certified 5-K Walk/Run and chairs for that committee include Larry West and Linda Brown.

For more information about the Grassy Waters Festival & Car Show, call the Pahokee Chamber of Commerce at 924-5579.

### Bayfest '97 meetings

The Bayfest '97 committee met the first and third Tuesday of the month at South Bay City Hall.

Chairperson Mirlanda Smith encourages any South Bay resident who would like to participate to attend the meetings. Bayfest '97 will be held October 25. For additional information, residents can call South Bay City Hall at 996-6751.

### Chamber Banquet

The Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce Banquet is set for Tuesday, October 21. At the banquet, they will be presenting the awards for Citizen of the Year, Agri-Business Person of the Year, Community Pride, Police Officer of the Year, Palm Beach County Sheriff's Deputy of the Year, and Firefighter of the Year.

Tickets are on sale at the chamber. Call 996-2745 for additional information.

### NA and AA meetings

There are two narcotic anonymous groups that meet in the Glades and new members are always welcome.

Support Meetings meet on Thursday evenings at 8 p.m. at St. John's Episcopal Church,

200 N.W. Avenue H, Belle Glade. They have open discussions and speakers.

There is also a PANDA (Pregnant And Addicted) meeting every Saturday at 10 a.m. at the PANDA office, 816 N.W. Avenue D, Belle Glade. This meeting is for women only and is an open discussion meeting.

Alcoholics Anonymous meets on Monday evenings at 8:30 p.m. at St. John's Episcopal Church, 225 N.W. Avenue G, Belle Glade.

Participation in any of these meetings is strictly confidential. Anyone needing additional assistance or who has questions can call Narcotics Anonymous at 561-948-NANA.

### Children welcome

Lutheran Ministries of Florida, Inc. PEPP Head Start, is recruiting and accepting applications for three and four year old children.

All are welcome, including children with disabilities and there are no fees. The center is located at 200 S.W. 9th Street, Belle Glade. For more information, call 996-1718. Contact persons are Barbara Green or Tammy Kyles.

### Growers meeting

The Florida Certified Organic Growers and Consumers, Inc. is planning a meeting for tonight, Oct. 2 at the Glades Community Development Center, located at the old Glades Central Community High School at 7:30 p.m. Anyone with interest in sustainable/organic pesticide-free farming and/or gardening is invited to attend the meeting.

The South Florida Chapter of the Florida Certified Organic Growers and Consumers, Inc. includes the area from Vero Beach to Key West, including Lake Okechobee. For additional information contact Lauren Gould at 954-680-0180 or Penelope Gordon at 305-246-3999.

### Bereavement Support Group offered

Hospice of Palm Beach County is offering bereavement support for local residents. Anyone who is having a difficult time dealing with the death of an important person in their life, struggling with loneliness and a changing social role, is invited to attend.

For further information call 996-1285.

## Crimestoppers

Crime Stoppers of Palm Beach County, Inc., is asking citizens to help locate **Frank Denorris Moore** who is wanted for aggravated battery with a deadly weapon and false imprisonment. He is also wanted for unlawful alteration of an automobile tag.

Moore is a black male, 5'10" tall and he weighs 200 pounds. He has a tattoo on his left arm and he has black hair and brown eyes. His date of birth is January 2, 1971. His Social

Security Number is 261-61-4661 and his last known address was 97 Davis Street, Apartment B, Belle Glade. His last job was as a laborer. His warrant was active as of September 23, 1997.

If you know the whereabouts of **Frank Denorris Moore**, or anyone involved in a serious crime, call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-458-8477. You can remain anonymous and still receive a cash reward if your tip leads to an arrest.

### Pahokee Police Dept. arrest blotter

The Pahokee Police Department made 13 arrests or issued warrants the week of September 22-28. Those included:

**September 22 - Derrick Paine, 32**, burglary of an occupied dwelling, resisting arrest without violence and possession of marijuana under 20 grams; **Dean Oliver, 46**, retail theft; **Jason Eek, 18**, battery on a detention facility worker.

**September 23 - Isaac Fulton, 34**, felony retail theft; **Ruth Davis, 39**, retail theft.

**September 24 - James Pryor, Jr., 39**, possession of drug paraphernalia.

**September 25 - Melvin Robinson, 47**, grand theft; **Zachary Allen, 22**, picked up on a warrant for grand theft; **Melvin Burgess, 25**, obstructing an officer and tampering with evidence.

**September 26 - William Richardson, 26**, picked up on warrants for grand theft, larceny, simple battery and obstructing justice.

**September 27 - Gus Butler, Jr., 35**, burglary of an occupied dwelling and domestic battery.

**September 28 - Miguel Arroyo, 24**, possession of cocaine; **Miguel Herrera, 31**, failure to appear warrant.

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(4) The Belle Glade Police Department and the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Department will continue to work closely together to ensure traffic safety at Glades-Central Community High School.

I will speak to Dr. Grear and Captain Maxwell of the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Department to explore all strategies to improve the safe flow of traffic.

### Let kids use PHS at night

"We are trying to utilize the football field facilities at the Pahokee High School. We have what we call junior football teams and the other day we had about 10 or 12 football teams that came over to play. They played even in the rain and we had to postpone some of the events."

It's my understanding the Pahokee Recreation Department is trying to get lights put up around the old PHS field to utilize it.

My thoughts are, we already have lights at the new PHS. Why not use that field when it's not being used by the high school department.

We as taxpayers also pay taxes for that area over there. I believe the city officials and the police department are interested in this proposal. I do believe the police department, headed by Chief Salvatore, is doing a good job, but I would think they would rather see individuals running up and down a lighted football field rather than running behind buildings and houses and

breaking into people's homes.

Juvenile delinquency has become a fast-growing problem in America. We're building more juvenile facilities than we're building state prisons.

West Palm Beach has a lot to offer young people, including movie theatres, the beach, malls, but in Pahokee we have nothing to offer our kids when darkness comes. They have no place to go.

We need to give these kids something to keep them off the streets. We're looking at future doctors, commissioners, lawyers...perhaps a president.

I've lived here all my life. I'm a taxpayer and an interested citizen. It is my best interest and in the best interest of all the residents of Pahokee to try to fulfill this dream.

I was told Pahokee High School is not a community school like Glades Central is in Belle Glade.

But we need to get this going for our children so they can use their energy in a positive way, not running behind your house, not behind the grocery store, not on the street selling dope, but running up and down the field utilizing the field and the lights we as taxpayers have already paid for.

**Editor's note:** This Speak Out was edited for space while hopefully retaining the caller's message. Thank you for Speaking Out.



## PBCC's Spotlight on the "Fabulous" Glades Campus

By Leigh Whodham

### Calling all golfers!

The "Fabulous" Glades Campus of PBCC's Annual Scholarship Golf Tournament is looking for YOU! On Saturday, October 25, the golfers of the Glades will be teeing off at the Belle Glade Municipal Golf Course to raise money for the "Fabulous" Glades Campus Scholarship fund. If you are not a golfer, you or your business can still help by becoming a sponsor or by donating a prize for the "Fabulous" draw! Information about registration or sponsorship can be obtained by calling 992-6167.

### Dolly Hand Cultural Arts Center is "Fifteen & Fabulous!"

The Dolly Hand Cultural Arts Center is "Fifteen & Fabulous!" and invites you to join the celebration! In appreciation for the Glades communities' continued support, the 1997-98 series is the DHCAC's gift to you with nine shows for just \$99! WOW!!!

That's a 26% savings over single ticket prices. Non-stop entertainment begins on November 15 with the Broadway smash "Five Guys Named Moe" and continues right through May, finishing up the celebration with "A Fabulously Funny Evening." For a complete listing of this fabu-

lous series, watch for the "Fifteen and Fabulous" brochure in your mailbox, or call us at 992-6160. And if family entertainment is what you're looking for, then look no further. The 1997-98 Family Ties Series is packed with six wonderful shows and can be customized just for you and your "crew." Choose all six for up to a 20% savings, or pick any 3. It's up to you. Just call the Dolly Hand Cultural Arts Center at 992-6160 and let us help you.

### Community Service is the name of the game

The "Fabulous" Glades Campus would like to announce the many services available to the residents of the Glades communities. In addition to meeting rooms, the college also has available a poster making machine, a binding machine, Internet access, and electronic databases. The "Fabulous" Glades Campus is also capable of hosting video conferences.

Listings of conference availability are available at the Provost's office. In addition to these "Fabulous" services is a Speaker's Bureau of talented, knowledgeable and enthusiastic speakers for your meeting or event. Just call the "Fabulous" Glades Campus at 996-3055 for more information.

## Belle Glade Police Dept. arrest blotter

The Belle Glade Police Department handled 731 complaints and worked 17 crime scenes the week of September 22-28. Those arrested included:

**September 22 - Earl Coney Jr., 19**, domestic battery on a pregnant female.

**September 23 - Maurice Pittman, 26**, domestic battery.

**September 24 - Grady Cain, 47**, retail theft; **Lashawanda Donaldson, 19**, battery; **Timothy Hanford, 32**, burglary.

**September 25 - No arrests made.**

**September 26 - Ricky Tillman, 33**, domestic battery; **Roberto Herrera, 31**, battery.

**September 27 - Salvador Rivera, 24**, domestic battery and failure to appear; **Larry**

**Johnson, 39**, violation of a restraining order; **Charles Dexter Day, 44**, burglary of a structure and grand theft.

**September 28 - No arrests made.**

The police news in this newspaper lists arrests, not

convictions, unless otherwise stated.

Arrested persons who later are found not guilty or have had the charges against them dropped are welcome to let us know. We will confirm the information and print it.

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# Jerry Drace Evangelistic Team



Ken & Lois Holland

Ken and Lois Holland have served as the directors of the musical ministries of the Jerry Drace Evangelistic Association since 1981. Ken and Lois are graduates of Oklahoma Baptist University in Shawnee, Oklahoma.

Ken is a most gifted composer-arranger. He has had over twenty songs published. Broadman Press, Benson Publishing Company, Crescendo Music and the JDEA have published his music. He and Lois have three albums, one songbook, and a series of scripture songs to their credit.

It has been said by Lois by those in the music department of the Southern Baptist Convention that she is one of the top five solo handbell ringers in the United States. Her unique talent has brought high school as well as senior citizen audiences to their feet. Billy Graham said of her talent, "I've seen several solo handbell ringers in my time and she is one of the best."

Ken and Lois have one son, Lee Howard, born August 16, 1983, and a daughter, J.J., born September 18, 1987.



Jerry Drace

Jerry Drace, Evangelist, is the president of the Jerry Drace Evangelistic Association of Jacksonville, Florida. He is a graduate of the Union University, Jackson, Tennessee, B.S., 1968; Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, M. Div., 1971; and Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary, D. Min., 1986.

Jerry is married to Becky Hight of Brownsville, Tennessee. They have two children: Andrew, born January 7, 1980, and Rebecca, born April 22, 1982.

He has conducted over 300 revivals and crusades since 1975 and five major foreign crusades: Korea-Philippines, 1978; Korea, 1979 Korea-Hong-Kong, 1981, 1984 and 1986.

Jerry has been listed in "Who's Who in Religion in America" since 1978 and was recognized in the listing of International Men of Achievement, 1979.

He has spoken at numerous conferences, seminars, and at the Pastors' Conference of the Southern Baptist Convention. Jerry has authored three books, directed the *Revival with Effect* video series published by Broadman Press, and produced the youth video series, *Living in a Broken World*.



Mike Lyons

When you live in the desert, the last thing you have to worry about is heavy rain, especially downpours from a tropical storm or hurricane. But, last week that is exactly what happened to the people who live in the deserts of California and Arizona.

For the first time in recorded history, a tropical storm made landfall in Arizona. Tropical Storm Nora, packing winds of 45 mph, moved across America's southwest, producing more rain in one day than most places get in an entire year.

Welcome to the wacky world of weather, 1997 version. Tropical storms are supposed to come crashing onshore in Florida, the Carolina's or Texas. Hurricanes are presumed to be indigenous to the Atlantic Ocean, Caribbean Sea and the Gulf of Mexico. We are the ones who should be purchasing storm shutters, extra

# The wacky world of weather

water and boxes of batteries.

Yet, in this upside down hurricane season, the Atlantic basin has been relatively quiet, particularly in comparison to the last two years. There have been five named storms so far this year in the Atlantic. Three hurricanes, Bill, Danny and Erik, and two tropical storms, Alma and Claudette.

Last year, there were 13 named storms and, in 1995, a total of 19 named storms. Twenty of those tropical cyclones matured into full hurricanes and 11 became major storms. All the experts agreed that 1997 was going to be another fast-forward year in the tropics.

As it turned out, the experts were right but they picked the wrong ocean. While the Atlantic has been quiet, the Pacific has been very active. So far, 15 named storms have formed in the waters off the coast of Mexico. Five have matured into major hurricanes and two of the storms, Linda and Guillermo, became category five hurricanes.

Linda evolved into the largest hurricane ever recorded in the eastern Pacific. At one point, this monster produced sustained winds of 185 mph with gusts well over 200 mph. It appeared that Linda might even threaten southern California before veering away

into the open waters of the Pacific.

What's the reason for the dramatic switch in the tropics? Experts say it is the El Nino, the name given for the warming of the equatorial waters of the Pacific. This year's El Nino is one of the strongest ever recorded, topping the record-breaking El Nino of 1982-83.

During El Nino years, tropical cyclone development in the Atlantic basin is reduced, while in the Pacific, tropical systems are much more common. The warmer than normal Pacific waters increases the number of named storms and helps fuel the intensification of more powerful tropical systems.

Despite the El Nino, however, the tropical season in the Atlantic is far from over. October is historically the third most active month of the six-month-long hurricane season. Hurricanes and tropical storms can develop in November, too. Remember Hurricane Gordon?

So, while most of the action has been along the west coast of the United States, it is important to remember that anything can happen in the wacky world of weather. After all, how often does a tropical storm hit Arizona?

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# Grassy Waters Festival

We are celebrating two birthdays: Pahokee's 75th and the car show's 5th. Special things are planned like guessing games, raffles, door prizes every 2 hours, special awards for club participation, dash plaques, trophies in 18 classes and a \$100 drawing for pre-registrations. So mark your calendars for November 22. Come and be a part of Pahokee's 75th Diamond Jubilee. Sit under the shade tree and enjoy the breezes off Lake Okechobee.

# Open House at Pioneer Park Elementary

Pioneer Park Elementary School hosted Open House on Wednesday, September 24, to a crowd of over 200 parents. What a thrill to have so much interest and support! Parents were welcomed Ms. Edna Stephens, Parent Coordinator. Ms. Sandra Cook, Chair of the School Advisory Council, discussed participation and up-coming meetings; Dr. Barbara Meroney, Facilitator for the Success For All (SFA) reading program, praised students' progress during the two years of implementation. Representatives for the Bank of Belle Glade, June Mikell and Ashly Tripp, were present to provide parents with information regarding the bank's school savings program. Ms. Tripp asked parents to encourage their children to save weekly. The audience was entertained with singing by a group of fifth grade students under the direction of music teacher, Juan Gonzales, and with the assistance of teacher, Nancy Hansen. Parents visited their children's classroom, teachers and then moved to the SFA reading classrooms. This was followed with visits to special program areas including: center, writing lab, computer lab, HOTS (a program emphasizing higher order thinking skills), and CARE (a reading program designed to assist bilingual students). Finally, the parents' reconnected in the cafeteria for refreshments served by the cafeteria manager, Rosie Hoskins and her staff. Drawing for door prizes was coordinated by teachers, Shelly Miller and Ruby Smith. Pioneer Park Elementary appreciated the tremendous turn-out. Thanks to the parents for their strong show of support, and thanks to the teachers and staff for their continued efforts and concern for the students of Pioneer Park Elementary.

# Military News



Ronnie V. Frupp, Jr.

Air Force Airman Ronnie V. Frupp Jr. has graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

During the six weeks of training, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization, customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Fripp is the son of Patricia F. Campbell of Belle Glade. He is a 1996 graduate of Glades Day School, Belle Glade, FL.

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Joe Kyles, son of Diane Kyles of Northwest Ninth Street, Belle Glade, Fla., recently completed a seven-day port visit to Haifa, Israel, while assigned to the aircraft carrier USS John F. Kennedy, currently on a six-month deployment in the Mediterranean Sea and Persian Gulf.

During the port visit, Kyles and fellow crew members hosted more than 1,600 visitors and completed 11 community relations projects including painting and landscaping an orphanage and the Sacred Heart Convent for Disabled Children, where the carrier's gospel choir performed. Some crew members also played basketball with members from an Ethiopian immigrant camp.

Aircraft carriers, like USS John F. Kennedy, are forward deployed around the world to maintain a U.S. presence and provide rapid response in times of crisis. They serve as a highly visible deterrent to would-be aggressors and, if deterrence fails, offer the most versatile and powerful weapons available.

He joined the Navy in July 1990.

Mahalia E. Jackson has joined the United States Army under the Delayed Entry Program at the U.S. Army Recruiting Station, Tallahassee, Fla.

The program gives young men or women the opportunity to delay enlistment into the Army for up to one year before reporting to basic military training.

The enlistment gives the new soldier the option to learn a new skill, travel and become eligible to receive as much as \$40,000 toward a college education. After completion of basic training, soldiers receive advanced individual training in their career specialty.

Jackson, a 1995 graduate of Glades Central High School, Belle Glade, will report to Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C., for military basic training January 14, 1998.

She is the daughter of Cathay M. Wallace of Belle Glade.

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or someone else erased wrong answers from two of the school's fourth-grade classes. The fourth graders had taken the Comprehensive Test of Basic Skills.

State Education Commissioner Frank Brogan's office said after reviewing 16 schools in six school districts where

score increases were higher than average, only Canal Point's scores were found suspicious with scores that jumped from an average of 19 to 60 on a scale of 100.

Canal Point's school has ranked low on test performances for the past two years. School board officials say

they also had concerns about higher than average scores at Panther Run Elementary in Lake Worth, but found no evidence of tampering on the children's papers.

West County Area Director Eugenia Jones was called about this story but had not returned the call at press time.

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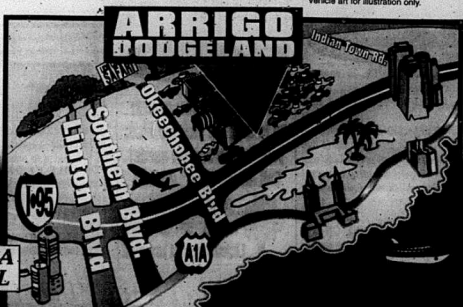
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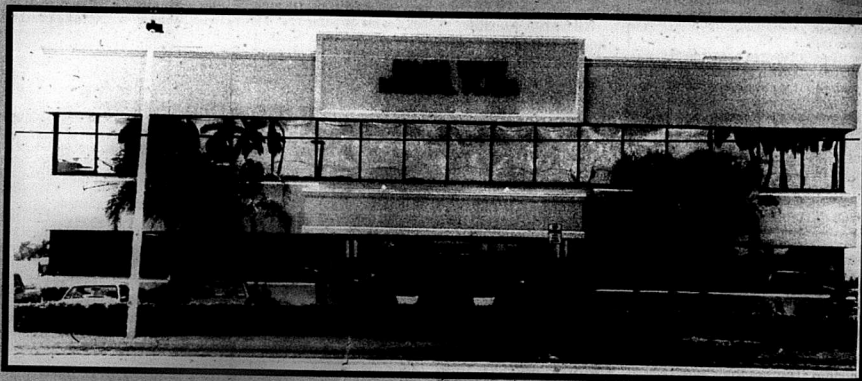




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### Care and Treatment of Osteoarthritis

Degenerative joint disease or osteoarthritis is the most common disease affecting weight bearing joints. It is characterized by progressive deterioration and loss of articular cartilage.

While osteoarthritis can appear at any age, its incidence is greatest as a person ages - with greater than 50% of patients over age 65 having symptoms. In patients under 30, it is frequently secondary to prior trauma or childhood disease. Common symptoms are pain (usually more with weight bearing), limping, and restricted motion (change in leg length or alignment).

Corrective measures are helpful in reducing the symptoms. These include weight loss, or the use of a cane, to reduce the stress across the joint. Rest reduces symptoms, but can cause muscle weakness. Physical therapy can help maintain muscle strength and preserve motion. The application of heat or cold, taking anti-inflammatory medication and intra-articular steroid injections all can help to reduce the symptoms of osteoarthritis.

When these corrective measures fail, surgical treatment may then be indicated. Outpatient arthroscopic procedures to remove degenerative meniscle tears can markedly reduce symptoms of pain and motion restrictions. For more advanced cases, an osteotomy (cutting of the bone) can be performed to improve alignment and performance of the joint.

Another surgical option for very severe arthritis of the hip, especially in young patients, is an arthrodesis (fusion) in which the painful motion is eliminated. However, the most common procedure is a total joint replacement.

Total joint replacement is a highly successful procedure with greater than 90% of patients having a good to excellent result with diminished pain, improved range of motion and the ability to return to their prior activity level.

Dr. Kugler is with the physician group Orthopedic Center of Palm Beach County. He specializes in Orthopedic Surgery, Sports Medicine and Total Joint Replacement. Dr. Kugler is board certified by the American Board of Orthopedic Surgeons and has a special interest in adult reconstructive surgery and arthroscopy. To schedule an appointment with Dr. Kugler at the groups Belle Glade office, call 561-967-6500 or 1-800-633-5783. The Orthopedic Center of Palm Beach County features 16 specialists dedicated to providing excellence in orthopedic care for over 38 years.

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## Sports Briefs.....

### Fish attractors installed at Lake Osborne

The Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission (GFC), in cooperation with the Palm Beach County Department of Environmental Resources Management (DERM), recently installed four fish attractors in Lake Worth's Lake Osborne to improve sport fishing opportunities.

"These attractors are essentially artificial freshwater reefs," said Frank Morello, GFC fisheries biologist, Everglades Region. "They will provide food and cover for small fish which will, in turn, attract predator fish such as large mouth bass."

Each attractor consists of 24 panels (8x10) which are honeycombed with plastic pockets. The panels are anchored to the lake bottom with cement blocks. Each site is marked with a GFC fish attractor buoy.

"As time goes by, microscopic life forms will attach to the surface of the attractor and provide food for small fish which will attract large mouth bass and blue gill," Morello said. "The reefs concentrate the fish, making it a desirable location for anglers to fish."

In years past the GFC used attractors made out of brush and tree branches which had to be replaced every four years or so because they decomposed and disintegrated under water.

The new plastic fish attractors have a much longer lifespan, and will not have to be replaced as frequently, according to Morello. The more cost-efficient plastic attractors, called GEO Webs, were devised by a GFC fishery biologist several years ago.

Materials were purchased by the Palm Beach County Department of Environmental Resources Management, using monies derived from boat registration fees, according to Morello.

### 14th Annual Ghosts & Goblins Open, Oct. 19

Winn Dixie and the March of Dimes presents the 14th Annual Ghost & Goblin Open Boat Tournament on Sunday Oct. 19, 1997. Registration will be held Sat. Oct. 18, at Anglers Marina, in Clewiston, from 1 p.m. until 5 p.m. registrations will also be accepted the day of the tournament.

Tournament will start at safe light and leave from the Clewiston Public Boat Ramp. Weigh-in will be at 3 p.m. The Clewiston Public Boat Ramp. Entry fees will be \$110 per team, - tax deductible. Money orders, cashiers checks, or cash only after October 1, 1997.

"Fishbone Free" will entertain the audience at the weigh-in. Fred entertained at last years tournament and was truly enjoyed by all.

For more information contact Larry McNamara at (954) 426-9183 or Jerry Doyle (954) 741-4928.

## Glades Central Raiders are still undefeated

"We haven't been beat by Wellington, yet" was Raider Coach Milton Watson's statement last week. Well it still holds true this week. Glades Central Raiders handed Wellington their first loss of the season last Friday night, as the Raider defense scored on two key turnovers.

Wellington put the first score on the board with a 34 yard field goal. Then Glades Central answered with a TD. Wellington then answered right back and ended the first quarter leading the Raiders 9-7.

The Raiders regrouped and scored two TD's in the second quarter. Banks went in on a 1 yard run. Harriot capitalized on a Wellington fumble and went for 47 yards to give the

Raiders a 21-9 lead over Wellington at half time.

Neither team scored in the third quarter. Wellington came back in the fourth quarter to score a TD, but it wasn't enough. Glades Central won 21-15 over Wellington.

Glades Central was penalized 10 times for a total of 73 yards, but still managed to add 135 yards to their rushing record, and 124 to the passing yardage.

Next week is an open week for the Raiders.

All Raider fans are invited to come out and cheer on the Gators and the Blue Devils next week, both teams have home games. Kick offs are at 7:30 p.m.



**#15 Oscar Chavari**, kicker for Glades Central Raiders comes through for his team when the pressure is on and the extra points are needed. "I work better under pressure," Oscar told photographer Big "A" Vereen. Photo by Big "A" Vereen

## Glades Day Gators ready to face Frostproof after last weeks win

By Paula Whitehead

The Glades Day Gators remain undefeated after last Friday's game against the Benjamin Buccaneers.

"It was a heck of a game, and we got it done," said Gators Head Coach Pete Walker about Friday's game against Benjamin.

"Our boys came out and did a great job, especially considering they were out numbered as far as size," said coach Walker. "Our boys played with a lot of heart, moved the ball and played good defense," he said.

"The Gators had a few fumbles," he said, but it was a wet field. The team has played

many of their games so far this year in wet conditions. We won't know how to act if we get a dry field," kidded Walker.

Stand out players last week included Alex Morales who rushed 15 times for 100 yards and a 57 yard kick-off return, opening up the second half, and set the Gators up for their

second TD.

Zack Threkked had 7 of 14 passing for 181 yards and 2 TD passes. He also ran for a 1 yard TD.

John Courson had 10 tackles. Jake Davis played great defense.

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Israel Baez, Johnny Tellichea, Ronnie Hilyer and Mike Bennett enjoyed a day of Golf at the Steve Haller Golf Tournament held last Saturday. Additional photos page 6B. Photo by Jennie M. Sears

## Steve Haller Memorial tee-off for kids golf tournament

Jennie M. Sears  
Staff Reporter

It all began on Saturday morning. They loaded up their carts and headed off to begin an exciting tournament.

The West County Mental Health Clinic and the Palm Beach County Sheriff's office hosted the tournament.

The funds will benefit the children's programs of the clinic and the Palm Beach County Sheriff's office Explorer Post #611.

Teams consisted of the many companies in the Glades area.

## Pahokee fell to Jupiter 34-30

By Robbie Everett

The Pahokee Blue Devils suffered a disappointing loss to the Jupiter Warriors last Friday night. The Warriors came from a ten point deficit to score 2 touch downs in the last few minutes of the game.

The Warriors recovered a Pahokee fumble on their own 10 yard line and 12 plays and 90 yards later they scored the winning touchdown.

The Blue Devils led most of the game with quarterback Aquan Boldin leading the way with a touchdown and 131 yards rushing. He also con-

nected with Senior tight-end Jerome West for a touchdown. Senior running back James Snead was right off his heels with 126 yards rushing. Snead had two touchdowns, one a break-away 61 yard rushing TD and one for 6 yards.

The final score was Pahokee 30 - Jupiter 34.

The Blue Devils are home this week hosting Atlantic High School.

The following week is homecoming. The Blue Devils will host Royal Palm Beach High School.

Kick off is at 7:30 p.m.

## J.V. Blue Devils stomp Palm Beach Gardens

By Jennie M. Sears

Staff Reporter

The final score was Pahokee 42 and Palm Beach Gardens 6. A total blowout for Pahokee J.V. Devils.

"The guys played well as a team conquering many obstacles throughout the game," said Coach Ford. "They accepted every challenge that they were faced with."

Jawarski Bouie, #20, played an outstanding game. On offense he made 3 touchdowns for the J.V. Devils and two 2 point conversions. Bouie rushed for over 200 yards. On defense he made 6 sacks and caused 2 fumbles.

The Devils scored their first 30

points within the first five minutes of the game. Alvaughna Johnson, wide receiver, Anthony Burgess, running back and Octavious Jackson, quarter back all scored touchdowns for the J.V. Devils.

All together the team had a total of 15 sacks and caused a total of 5 fumbles against Palm Beach Gardens.

"By far this is the most solid football team I have been involved with since I've been a coach," said Ford. "At the end of the game I was sure to remind my players what a great game they played. I was very proud of them," said Coach Ford.

## Okeechobee Center Raiders beat Loxahatchee Packers 21-6 Police Athletic League Football (P.A.L.)

Submitted by

Coach Johnny Jackson

The Okeechobee Center Raiders beat the Loxahatchee Packers 21-6, last Saturday, September 27, 1997.

The Raiders first score came when Janorris Federick scored on a 12 yard run, Jermaine Federick scored the extra point.

The Raiders scored again when Jermaine Federick

threw a 60 yard touchdown pass to Terrelle Federick. Zavien Brand scored the extra point.

Deshawnta Williams scored the Raiders final touchdown on a 5 yard run, Jermaine Federick scored his second extra point to give the Raiders a 21-6 victory.

Other top performers for the Raiders were Jesse Perez, Alfonso Amilor,

Javaris Monroe, Dekevious McRae, Ramiro Martinez, Alexandra Davis, Kurtavious Ball, Charles Anderson and Walter Tucker.

The Raiders play the Belle Glade Gators on Saturday October 4th at New Hope.

**Other scores from the police Athletic League Football**

**Pee Wee Division**  
Pahokee won 6-0 over New Hope.  
Wellington beat South Bay 21-7  
Miami and Belle Glade played to a tie.

**Junior Division**  
South Bay won 6-0 over Lake Park  
Belle Glade beat Riviera 21-0  
Okeechobee Center Eagles shut out Glades Glen 8-0.

## Fishing With Walt Reynolds



Walt Reynolds

We just returned from eleven days in upstate New York at Thousand Islands, where we fished the Bassmasters Invitational. It is real pretty country up there with all the mountains and lakes. The weather started out great and went downhill to a 41 degree day with rain and high winds. Right about then is when I wanted to head back to good old Florida.

The rains have brought the lake back up to a much higher level and the water is cooling down some now. This has improved the fishing quite a bit. Top water baits early of a morning are still producing some good fishing around Rita Island and between the

East Wall and Rita to the east. Use smaller lures such as a Spasbit or Tiny Torpedo and fish them very slow with small twitches. If the wind is blowing any at all then a Rattle Trap in black and gold or blue and chrome colors will work well in the open water off the grass lines.

I am still getting some reports of crappie being caught around Bird Island and the Sportsman Channel. Use minnows and fish at night if it is too hot for you in the daylight hours.

From all the calls and E-mail I have been getting it looks like we are in for a great winter season this year. If the water will just stay clean and at the current level, the fishing should be real good. Our area has been putting on a new face this summer and we should greet our friends from the north with a smile and a warm welcome. They know we are grinning at them because we don't have to go back up where it gets cold.

To all a good bite...

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| • Toni Jennings | 5-5      | 28-12 |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |
| • Jimmy Beno    | 7-3      | 30-10 |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |
| • Gary Melvin   | 8-2      | 29-11 |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |
| • Clay Connell  | 5-5      | 25-15 |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |
| • Robert Archer | 7-3      | 33-7  |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |

## MATCHUPS

|                                     |            |             |           |           |           |            |             |
|-------------------------------------|------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-------------|
| Pahokee vs. Atlantic                | B. Devils  | B. Devils   | B. Devils | B. Devils | Atlantic  | B. Devils  | B. Devils   |
| Glades Day vs. Frostproof           | Gators     | Frostproof  | Gators    | Gators    | Gators    | Gators     | Gators      |
| Clewiston Tigers vs. Sarasota       | Tigers     | Sarasota    | Tigers    | Tigers    | Tigers    | Tigers     | Tigers      |
| Univ. of Fla. Gators vs. Arkansas   | Gators     | Gators      | Gators    | Gators    | Gators    | Gators     | Gators      |
| Miami Hurricanes vs. Seminoles      | Hurricanes | Seminole    | Seminole  | Seminole  | Seminole  | Hurricanes | Seminole    |
| Univ. of S. Fla. vs. Morehead St.   | U. S. Fla  | U.S. Fla    | U. S. Fla | Morehead  | U. S. Fla | U. S. Fla  | Morehead    |
| Jacksonville Jaguars vs. Cincinnati | Jaguars    | Jaguars     | Jaguars   | Jaguars   | Jaguars   | Jaguars    | Jaguars     |
| Tampa Bay Bucs vs. Green Bay        | Bucs       | Green Bay   | Bucs      | Green Bay | Green Bay | Bucs       | Green Bay   |
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| • Billy Rimes    | 7-3      | 27-13 | Mike Burkett   | Billy Rimes  | Hattie Bennett   | Vera Robinson  | Steve Stafford   | Donny Moss  | Penny Lester   |
| • Hattie Bennett | 6-4      | 27-13 |  |  |  |  |  |   |  |
| • Vera Robinson  | 7-3      | 27-13 |  |  |  |  |  |   |  |
| • Steve Stafford | 8-2      | 28-12 |  |  |  |  |  |   |  |
| • Donny Moss     | 7-3      | 26-14 |  |  |  |  |  |   |  |
| • Penny Lester   | 6-4      | 24-16 |  |  |  |  |  |   |  |

## MATCHUPS

|                                     |            |            |           |           |             |           |           |
|-------------------------------------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| Pahokee vs. Atlantic                | Atlantic   | B. Devils  | B. Devils | B. Devils | Atlantic    | Atlantic  | Atlantic  |
| Glades Day vs. Frostproof           | Frostproof | Frostproof | Gators    | Gators    | Gators      | Gators    | Gators    |
| Clewiston Tigers vs. Sarasota       | Tigers     | Tigers     | Tigers    | Tigers    | Tigers      | Tigers    | Tigers    |
| Univ. of Fla. Gators vs. Arkansas   | Gators     | Gators     | Gators    | Gators    | Gators      | Gators    | Gators    |
| Miami Hurricanes vs. Seminoles      | Seminole   | Seminole   | Seminole  | Seminole  | Seminole    | Seminole  | Seminole  |
| Univ. of S. Fla. vs. Morehead St.   | Morehead   | U. S. Fla  | U. S. Fla | Morehead  | U.S. Fla    | U.S. Fla  | Morehead  |
| Jacksonville Jaguars vs. Cincinnati | Jaguars    | Jaguars    | Jaguars   | Jaguars   | Jaguars     | Jaguars   | Jaguars   |
| Tampa Bay Bucs vs. Green Bay        | Green Bay  | Bucs       | Bucs      | Green Bay | Green Bay   | Green Bay | Green Bay |
| Miami Dolphins vs. Kansas City      | Dolphins   | Dolphins   | Dolphins  | Dolphins  | Kansas City | Dolphins  | Dolphins  |
| Minnesota Vikings vs. Arizona       | Vikings    | Vikings    | Vikings   | Vikings   | Vikings     | Arizona   | Vikings   |

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### Robert Archer still top dog

Robert Archer with **First Community Bank** is still ahead in this Pigskin Predictions game. Robert, who has never won this game, although he has played for three years, says he has a new strategy this year. And apparently it's working. Robert says he's stopped making his selections with his heart and is using a more hard-gosed approach. He is voting with his head and weighing the team's past performance against who they are playing that week.

This strategy is really paying off for Robert, who is 33-7 this week.

Second place is still Mike Burkett with **Lake Hardware and Farm Supply**. Mike's a pro at this game and is always tough competition. We'll watch over the next few weeks and see if some of our other players can move up to challenge these two "pros".

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## Gators

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Next week the Gators play Frostproof. "This is a big game," said Coach Walker. "They look great, have a lot of guys and they can run."

Frostproof is 1-3 for this year, but Walker says they have played some big schools.

Glades Day School lost to Frostproof last year. "They beat up on us pretty good last year, but our boys are up for this," said Coach Walker.

The game will be held at Glades Day. Kick off is at 7:30 p.m.



## Glades Central High School 1997 Girl's Volleyball Schedule

|          |                            |           |
|----------|----------------------------|-----------|
| 10-6-97  | Pahokee                    | Away 4:00 |
| 10-9-97  | Lincoln Park Academy (DBL) | Away 4:30 |
| 10-13-97 | OPEN                       |           |
| 10-15-97 | Pope John Paul             | Home 5:00 |
| 10-20-97 | Cardinal Newman (DBL)      | Away 5:00 |
| 10-22-97 | Forest Hill                | Away 5:00 |
| 10-23-97 | Palm Beach Gardens         | Away 5:00 |

## Pahokee Middle/Senior High School 1997 "Lady Blue Devil" Volleyball Schedule

|          |                  |                        |
|----------|------------------|------------------------|
| 10-2-97  | **Saint Andrew's | Home 5:00/6:00         |
| 10-6-97  | Glades Central   | Home 4:00/5:00 (no JV) |
| 10-8-97  | Royal Palm Beach | Home 5:00/6:00         |
| 10-9-97  | Benjamin         | Away 5:00/6:00         |
| 10-14-97 | Glades Day       | Home 5:00/6:00         |
| 10-15-97 | Suncoast         | Away 5:00/6:00         |
| 10-20-97 | Clewiston        | Home TBA               |
| 10-22-97 | **Pope John Paul | Away 5:00/6:00         |
| 10-23-97 | Clewiston        | Away TBA               |

\*\* District Games

## Glades Day School 1997 "Lady Gator" Volleyball Schedule

|          |                              |                |
|----------|------------------------------|----------------|
| 10-2-97  | King's Academy               | Away 4:30/5:30 |
| 10-3-97  | Summit Christian             | Home 4:00/5:00 |
| 10-4-97  | Hollywood Christian          | Home 5:30/6:30 |
| 10-7-97  | Lake Worth Christian         | Home 5:30/6:30 |
| 10-9-97  | Clewiston                    | Home 5:30/6:30 |
| 10-14-97 | Pahokee High School          | Away 5:00/6:00 |
| 10-15-97 | American Heritage            | Away 6:00/7:00 |
| 10-16-97 | Benjamin                     | Home 5:30/6:30 |
| 10-20-97 | Jupiter Christian            | Home 5:30/6:30 |
| 10-21-97 | Summit Christian             | Away 6:00/7:00 |
| 10-23-97 | Moore Haven                  | Home 5:30/6:30 |
| 10-28-97 | Dist. Semi-Final at Benjamin | Away 7:00 V    |
| 10-30-97 | Dist. Championship-Benjamin  | Away 7:00 V    |

## Glades Day School 1997 Varsity Football Schedule

|          |                     |                 |
|----------|---------------------|-----------------|
| 9-5-97   | LaBelle             | Win -           |
| 9-12-97  | King's Academy      | Win -           |
| 9-19-97  | American Heritage   | Win -           |
| 9-26-97  | Benjamin            | Win -           |
| 10-3-97  | FROSTPROOF          | HOME 7:30       |
| 10-10-97 | OPEN                |                 |
| 10-17-97 | Miami Gulliver      | Away 3:45       |
| 10-24-97 | St. Edwards         | Away 7:30       |
| 10-31-97 | Hollywood Christian | Home 7:30       |
| 11-7-97  | Moore Haven         | Homecoming 7:30 |
| 11-15-97 | John Carroll        | Away 7:30       |

## 1997 Junior Varsity Football Schedule

|          |                   |           |
|----------|-------------------|-----------|
| 9-4-97   | Moore Haven       |           |
| 9-11-97  | Benjamin          |           |
| 9-18-97  | Clewiston         |           |
| 9-25-97  | John Carroll      |           |
| 10-2-97  | KING'S ACADEMY    | AWAY 6:30 |
| 10-9-97  | American Heritage | Away 7:00 |
| 10-16-97 | Westminster       | Home 6:30 |
| 10-23-97 | LaBelle           | Away 7:00 |

## 1997 Junior High Football Schedule

|          |                            |                |
|----------|----------------------------|----------------|
| 9-11-97  | Benjamin                   |                |
| 9-18-97  | American Heritage          |                |
| 9-25-97  | Open                       |                |
| 10-2-97  | KING'S ACADEMY             | HOME 7 P.M.    |
| 10-9-97  | Moore Haven                | Away 6:30 p.m. |
| 10-16-97 | Fl. Lauderdale Westminster | Away 4 p.m.    |
| 10-23-97 | St. Edwards                | Home 6 p.m.    |

## Glades Central High School 1997 Varsity Football Schedule

|          |                       |                 |
|----------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| 9-5-97   | **Pope John Paul      | Win             |
| 9-12-97  | **Royal Palm Beach    | Win             |
| 9-19-97  | Clewiston             | Win             |
| 9-26-97  | Wellington            | Win             |
| 10-3-97  | OPEN                  |                 |
| 10-10-97 | *Fort Pierce Westwood | Away 7:30       |
| 10-17-97 | **Cardinal Newman     | Away 7:30       |
| 10-24-97 | **Suncoast            | Away 7:30       |
| 10-30-97 | Olympic Height        | Away 7:30       |
| 11-7-97  | **Forest Hill         | Homecoming 7:30 |
| 11-14-97 | **Pahokee             | Home 7:30       |

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## Pahokee Middle/Senior High School 1997 Varsity Football Schedule

|          |                   |                 |
|----------|-------------------|-----------------|
| 9-5-97   | Wellington        | Loss -          |
| 9-12-97  | William T. Dwyer  | Loss -          |
| 9-19-97  | Suncoast          | Win -           |
| 9-26-97  | Jupiter           | Loss - 30-34    |
| 10-3-97  | ATLANTIC          | HOME 7:30       |
| 10-10-97 | Royal Palm Beach  | Homecoming 7:30 |
| 10-17-97 | OPEN              |                 |
| 10-24-97 | **Pope John Paul  | Away 7:30       |
| 10-30-97 | Forest Hill       | Away 7:30       |
| 11-7-97  | **Cardinal Newman | Home 7:30       |
| 11-14-97 | Glades Central    | Away 7:30       |

\*\* District Games

## Junior Varsity Football Schedule

|          |                    |           |
|----------|--------------------|-----------|
| 9-11-97  | J.I. Leonard       |           |
| 9-18-97  | Jupiter            | Win       |
| 9-25-97  | Palm Beach Gardens | Win       |
| 10-1-97  | PALM BEACH LAKES   | HOME 7:00 |
| 10-8-97  | Wellington         | Away 7:00 |
| 10-16-97 | Glades Central     | Home 7:00 |
| 10-23-97 | Clewiston          | Home 7:00 |

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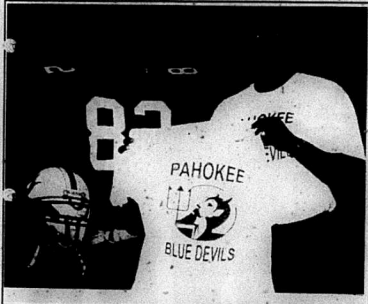
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# Recipients of the Steve Moore Player Of The Week Award



Carl Morrison of Steve Moore Chevrolet of Belle Glade presents a trophy to a player of the Pahokee Blue Devils with the Player of the Week Award.



Patrick Altman received the Player Of The Week Award from Steve Moore Chevrolet.



Glades Day Gator Zach Threlkeld received the Player of the Week Award sponsored by Steve Moore Chevrolet of Belle Glade.



The Pahokee Blue Devil band gave a great half time performance.



The Glades Day School JV football team watches the action at a recent game.

## JV Volleyball game results

By Jennie M. Sears  
Staff Reporter  
Glades Day J.V. Volleyball team played in a tournament at Lake Worth Christian.

The girls played two matches on Tuesday night. The first match they lost against Lake Worth High 15-10, 3-15, 13-15. Hela Throush had 7 service points in the first game.

The second match of the night was another unfortunate loss against Wellington High. Jayme Arnold had 8 service points in the first game. Final scores were 15-11, 12-15, 4-15.

Saturday morning the lady starters started the morning off with a win against Lake Worth Christian. Everyone had a part of this victory. Becky Outz had 6 service points, Rhonda Halum had 3 service points and Denise Genuel had 3 service points. The final scores were 15-3, 5-10.

The same day the Gators matched up again with Lake Worth Christian. The ladies started out well, but unfortunately lost 14-16, 12-15. Abby Moya and Carmen Lee combined for 8 service points in the second game.

This was a very close game. Overall the J.V. girls played great games.

Way to go!

## This weeks line-up

### Football

#### Varsity - Friday - October 3

Glades Day Gators vs Frostproof  
at Gator Field Kick Off 7:30 p.m.  
Pahokee Blue Devils vs Atlantic  
at Devils Field Kick Off 7:30 p.m.

#### J.V. - Thursday - October 2

Glades Day JV Gators vs Kings Academy  
at Kings Academy Field Kick Off 6:30 p.m.  
Pahokee JV Blue Devils vs Palm Beach Lakes  
at Devils Field Kick Off 7 p.m.

### Volleyball

#### October 2

Varsity - Glades Day vs Kings Academy  
at Kings Academy game time 5 p.m.  
Pahokee High vs Saint Andrews  
at Pahokee High game time 6 p.m.  
J.V. - Glades Day vs Kings Academy  
at Kings Academy game time 4:30 p.m.  
Pahokee High vs Saint Andrews  
at Saint Andrews game time 5 p.m.

#### October 3

Varsity & J.V. - Glades Day vs Summit Christian  
at Glades Day game time 4:45 p.m.

#### October 6

Varsity - Glades Central vs Pahokee  
at Glades Central game time 4:30 p.m.  
Glades Day vs Hollywood Christian  
at Glades Day game time 6:30 p.m.  
J.V. - Glades Day vs Hollywood Christian  
at Glades Day game time 5:30 p.m.

#### October 7

Varsity - Glades Day vs Lake Worth Christian  
at Glades Day game time 6:30 p.m.

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Sitting and watching the Blue Devils team this week, Pahokee lost this week, but still received great fan support.



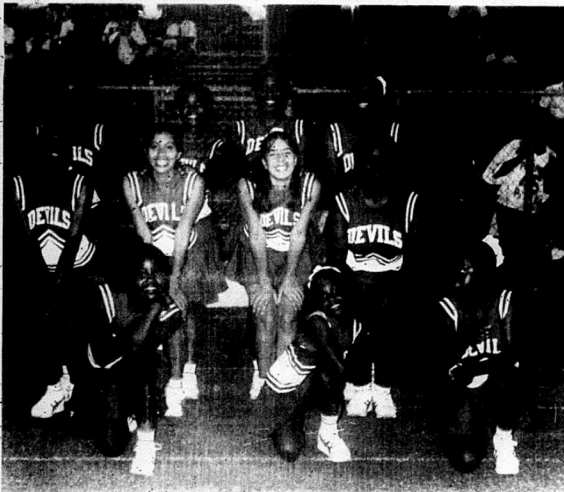
Pahokee football players #24 and #83 take a break from the action.



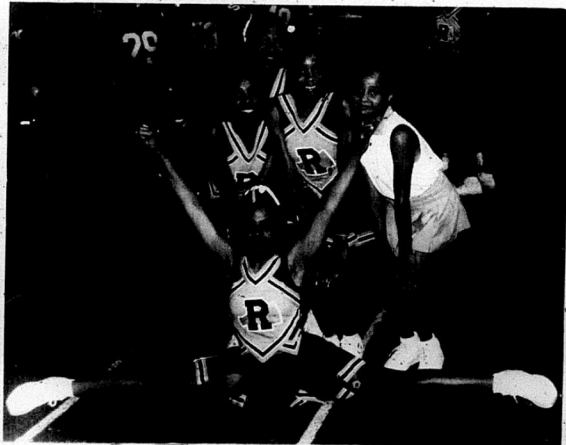
The fans are always supportive of their Blue Devil team and turnout is great at every game.



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Pahokee Blue Devil cheerleaders still have a style even though their team lost this week.



Go Raiders!... The cheerleaders pose during halftime.

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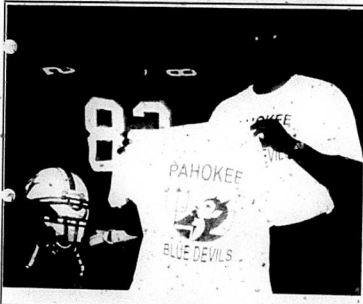
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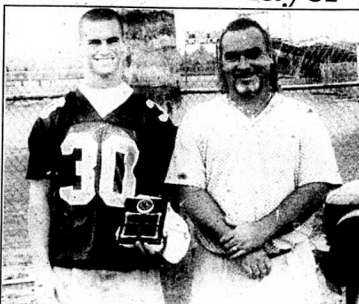
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# Recipients of the Steve Moore Player Of The Week Award



Carl Morrison of Steve Moore Chevrolet of Belle Glade presents a trophy to Carl Morrison of Steve Moore Chevrolet of Belle Glade.



Patrick Altman received the Player Of The Week Award from Steve Moore Chevrolet.



Glades Day Gator Zach Threlkeld received the Player of the Week Award sponsored by Steve Moore Chevrolet of Belle Glade.



The Pahokee Blue Devil band gave a great half time performance.



The Glades Day School JV football team watches the action at a recent game.

## JV Volleyball game results

By Jennie M. Sears  
Staff Reporter  
Glades Day J.V. Volleyball team played in a tournament at Lake Worth Christian.

The girls played two matches on Tuesday night. The first match they lost against Lake Worth High 15-10, 9-15, 13-15. Hela P. shoush had 7 service points in the first game.

The second match of the night was another unfortunate loss against Wellington High. Jayme Arnold had 8 service points in the first game. Final scores were 15-1, 12-15, 4-15.

Saturday morning the ladies started the morning off with a win against Lake Worth Christian. Everyone had a part of this victory. Jeckly Outz had 6 service points, Rhonda Halum had 3 service points and Denise Manuel had 3 service points. The final scores were 15-3, 5-10.

The same day the Gators matched up again with Lake Worth Christian. The ladies started out well, but unfortunately lost 14-16, 12-15. Jibby Moya and Carmen Tex combined for 8 service points in the second game.

This was a very close game. Overall the J.V. girls played great games. Way to go!

## This weeks line-up

### Football

Varsity - Friday - October 3

Glades Day Gators vs Frostproof at Gator Field Kick Off 7:30 p.m.

Pahokee Blue Devils vs Atlantic at Devils Field Kick Off 7:30 p.m.

J.V. - Thursday - October 2

Glades Day JV Gators vs Kings Academy at Kings Academy Field Kick Off 6:30 p.m.

Pahokee JV Blue Devils vs Palm Beach Lakes at Devils Field Kick Off 7 p.m.

### Volleyball

October 2

Varsity - Glades Day vs Kings Academy at Kings Academy game time 5 p.m.

Pahokee High vs Saint Andrews at Pahokee High game time 6 p.m.

J.V. - Glades Day vs Kings Academy at Kings Academy game time 4:30 p.m.

Pahokee High vs Saint Andrews at Saint Andrews game time 5 p.m.

October 3

Varsity & J.V. - Glades Day vs Summit Christian at Glades Day game time 4:45 p.m.

October 6

Varsity - Glades Central vs Pahokee at Glades Central game time 4:30 p.m.

Glades Day vs Hollywood Christian at Glades Day game time 6:30 p.m.

J.V. - Glades Day vs. Hollywood Christian at Glades Day game time 5:30 p.m.

October 7

Varsity - Glades Day vs Lake Worth Christian at Glades Day game time 6:30 p.m.

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# STEVE HALLER MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT PHOTOS



Happy players...Pahokee's City Manager Ken Schenck (L) and Bill Sadler stop to pose for a picture during Saturday's benefit golf tournament.



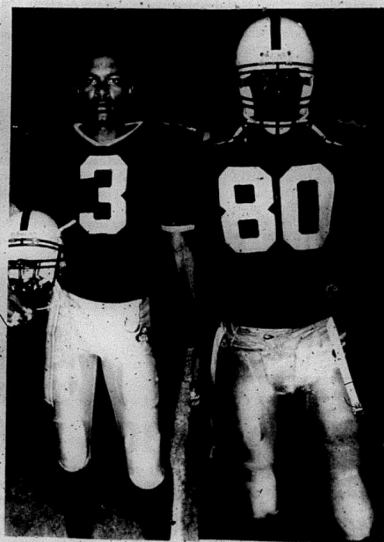
Some of the players in Saturday's golf tournament held at the Belle Glade Golf Course were, from left, Wendy Miller, Kevin Mann, Terry Mann and Danny Abercrombie.



Turnout was great Saturday for the benefit golf tournament despite the rain.

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Two of the main organizers for the Steve Haller Memorial Golf Tournament were Joe Amato with the West County Mental Health Clinic and Denny Abbott with the Western Palm Beach County Health Department.



Blue Devil Dan Bythwood, WR, was all over the field ding his best to keep Wellington from running up the points at last week's Glades Central game. Antonio Thomas, TE, got a touchdown in Friday night's game.